

BILL MEETS WITH NO OPPOSITION

Senate Committee Will Report Search and Seizure Measure Favorably.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
 Raleigh, N. C., February 20.—The Weatherston search and seizure bill met with no hostility in the Senate Committee on Pensions and Grievances, and will be reported to the Senate favorably, with a few amendments. Section 2 of the bill is changed so that possession of more than one gallon of spirituous liquor, three gallons of vinous and five of malt liquors is made prima facie evidence of keeping for purposes of sale, instead of one gallon of spirituous or vinous or five gallons of malt liquors. Other things made prima facie evidence are possession of government license, delivery to a person of more than five gallons of spirituous or vinous or twenty gallons of malt liquor within four successive weeks, or possession of intoxicating liquors as samples to obtain orders therefor. Another amendment provides that when a party is acquitted the liquor seized shall be returned, and if found guilty, destroyed. Section 1 is amended to include persons engaged in giving away for purposes of direct or indirect gain in the forbidden class. As to shipments accompanied by draft, the Senate committee adds, "which draft is inclosed with, connected with or related to any bill of lading, order or receipt." This last is intended to reach such a case as went up from Newbern, and make a shipment, with draft accompanying, a sale within the meaning of the State law. The ratification clause was changed so that the bill shall not go into effect until April 1.

The House Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns voted down the bill for the creation of the new County of Middlesex out of portions of Nash, Johnston, Wake and Franklin Counties, with Middlesex as county seat.

The committee reported favorably Speaker Connor's bill to take fifteen square miles of Nash County, including the town of Bailey's, and add it to Wilson County, for the convenience of the people of Bailey's, as more accessible to Wilson than Nashville. Practically all the people in the territory involved asked the change, and Hon. T. H. Woodard appeared with a big delegation of the Bailey people to urge the favorable report.

FAIL TO CHOOSE THEIR ASSOCIATE

Another Meeting of Representatives of Roads and Employes Will Be Held To-Day.

New York, February 20.—Selection of the third arbitrator of the board that will decide, under the Erdman act, demands of firemen of the Eastern railroads for more pay and additional firemen on large locomotives, was deferred to-day, when representatives of the railroads and firemen failed to come to an agreement at a conference called to complete the personnel of the board.

W. W. Atterbury, vice-president and general manager of the Pennsylvania lines, East, chosen to act for the railroads on the arbitration board, and Albert Phillips, third vice-president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, representing the firemen, met and tried to decide upon a man to be their associate. A number of names were submitted by each

COULDN'T RAISE HEAD OR HAND

And Had Lost All Hope of Recovery. Now Runs Sewing Machine.

Scottsville, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Miss Jennie Meador writes as follows: "I was in an awful condition, caused from womanly trouble. Was confined to my bed, and couldn't raise my head or hand. In fact, I had lost all hope of ever getting well."

I began taking Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I can now work in the garden, run a sewing machine, have gained 15 pounds, and am as happy as can be.

You may publish this letter if you wish. I wish all ladies suffering from womanly trouble would give Cardui a trial, as I am sure it would help them."

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official. Another meeting probably will take place to-morrow.

The meeting of Mr. Phillips and Mr. Atterbury to-day was their first since they were selected by the respective parties in the dispute. In event of their failure to agree upon a third arbitrator, the selection will be made by Judge Knapp, of the United States Commerce Court, and the Commissioner of Labor, the mediators in the preceding stage of the controversy.

Found Dead in Berth.
 Salisbury, N. C., February 20.—A stationer, a business man of Hickory, was found dead in a berth of train No. 25 shortly before reaching Salisbury last night. He was on route from Richmond, and had been dead several hours when the discovery was made. The body was prepared here for burial and sent to Hickory early today. The cause of death is unknown.

MANY INDICTMENTS RETURNED.
 Prominent People Charged With Violating Internal Revenue Laws.
 Luray, Va., February 20.—Until a late hour last night no less than fifty indictments had been returned against citizens of this county for violation of the internal revenue laws. Some of those indicted are prominent people. Women are embraced in the list. The deal of the evidence prepared against the dealers had been the work of detective agencies in the employ of the Virginia Anti-Saloon League.

PAID FOR NO VOUCHER IN THIS COUNTRY

Fugitive City Treasurer of Danville Fails to Arrive From Argentine.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
 Danville, Va., February 20.—A telegram received here this afternoon from New York announced the fact that Paylor, the fugitive city treasurer, and Wilson failed to arrive in that city on board the steamship Voltaire, which reached port yesterday evening. Two first-class passengers were booked, but at the hour of sailing neither of the men appeared, and the captain was forced to start his voyage without them. No reason was given for their nonappearance, and the only plausible explanation is that at the eleventh hour some difficulty with the requisition papers held them up temporarily, and made it impossible for them to catch the steamship. It is probable that Wilson will bring Paylor back to this country now via Europe. It is understood that the sailing from the Argentine to that continent is more frequent and speedy. If, however, Wilson prefers to bring Paylor to coast, obviating the extra expense, they should arrive here within the next two weeks.

It is not thought that the delay will interfere with Paylor's trial, for there is a long docket before the corporation Court, which convenes March 3, and as Paylor has already been indicted, his case can be called as soon as he lands here. Some surprise was evinced here when the news became known.

JUDGE GORDON REOPENS COURT.

Dr. King and Priddy Not Ready to Report in Stephenson Case.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
 Amherst, Va., February 20.—Judge R. T. Gordon returned to Amherst yesterday and reopened court, which was adjourned on Thursday last. The damage case of Tom Christian against the county, which was set for yesterday, did not come up, as was expected. On account of the illness of a material witness, the case was postponed until the April term.

Dr. J. C. King, of Marion, and A. S. Priddy, of the State Epileptic Colony, who were appointed to examine J. H. R. Stephenson as to his mental condition, in a written communication stated that they could not make their report at present, and asked that Stephenson be sent back to the city jail of Lynchburg so that they could have a better opportunity to observe him. They hope to be prepared to make a report at the April term. Stephenson's trial has been postponed until that time.

Measles, which is so prevalent in various sections of the State, has developed at Amherst. So far there is only one case. In and around Monroe, it is said that a great many children are suffering from the disease.

Amherst will have a \$15,000 twelve-room brick school building. This was the conclusion reached last night. The adjourned mass-meeting of the citizens of the town, held in the courthouse, was very well attended. The meeting was harmonious throughout. A. E. Strode, who was previously elected chairman, presided at the device. While the primary object of the meeting was to receive the report of the committee, composed of Charles A. Joubert, W. E. Meeks, A. R. Watts, J. E. Bowman, W. P. Reed, Edward Meeks, F. V. Settle and Dr. J. G. Kearfoot, appointed to solicit subscriptions, it was also held to keep alive the enthusiasm over the new school building, which is increasing every day. Charles A. Joubert, the chairman of the committee on subscriptions, being absent, Professor S. F. Pindexter reported that \$1,577 had been secured since the committee was appointed two weeks ago. The meeting was thrown open for general discussion, and W. E. Meeks explained that to insure a \$10,000 school building, \$2,000 would have to be raised; to insure a \$12,000 building, \$2,500 would have to be raised, and to insure a \$15,000 building, \$3,000 would have to be raised.

On motion, it was decided that the same committee heretofore appointed, assisted by every man, woman and child in the vicinity who wished to help, should conduct a vigorous campaign during the coming week to raise the \$3,000 necessary for the \$15,000 building.

IN INTEREST OF GOOD ROADS.

Meeting of Amelia Citizens Will Be Held on Saturday.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
 Amelia, Va., February 20.—P. St. Julien Wilson will address the citizens of Amelia at the courthouse on Saturday at a gathering of the citizens, in connection with the Good Roads Association and the Farmers Union.

The roads during the winter are such a tax on the people who must use them that they really do not present tax, while heavy, is not giving any good results. Mr. Wilson will point out how Amelia can secure good roads and fully explain the state system of building roads by convict aid, where the counties co-operate in the work.

Amelia has put in her application for convicts, and it stands among the first on the list to be supplied when the convicts become available on May 1. A soil road from Mattox towards Lodiore will be built by contract. The State Highway Commission has the matter in hand, and the section of road starting at the courthouse will be begun by the convicts.

HELD FOR MURDER

Negro Caught Here on Warrant Issued in Washington.

Ernest McNeill, a North Carolina negro, wanted in Washington for the murder of his wife last April, was arrested by Detective Sergeants Wiley and Kellam yesterday afternoon, while at work as a hoddar at Murphy's Hotel.

Having been lured into a sense of security in the months since his flight from Washington, McNeill was entirely unprepared for the advent of the officers, and was captured without a struggle. His pistol, which the police hope to prove was the one used against the murdered wife, was found by the officers in McNeill's room at 209 East Leigh Street.

He was taken to the First Police Station and held pending the arrival of officers from Washington, who reached here at midnight. After his flight from Washington, McNeill wandered far, finally locating in Richmond under the name of Roberson. He was given a job as hoddar by the builders of Murphy's new hotel and was working at that occupation when arrested. Although the murder was committed in April, the local police were called upon for help only a few days ago, when Major Sylvester received a tip that he was here.

Wiley and Kellam were immediately assigned to the case, and succeeded in tracking the negro to his boarding house. McNeill is said to have admitted to the officers that he fired five times at his wife.

Pined for Cruelty.
 Ben Harrington, a negro driver, was fined \$10 and costs and required to give \$100 bond or thirty days yesterday morning by Justice Crabtree for driving a mule with a sore shoulder.

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It will give you an extremely pleasant surprise, even though we are trying now to prepare you for the many delightful new features that will appear at that time.

With new presses and typesetting machines, The Times-Dispatch is now able to add a great number of new and interesting features to its Daily and Sunday editions.

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The Katzenjammer Kids will frolic into the Sunday Times-Dispatch. The antics of Happy Hooligan will be there to make you laugh with all the fresh enjoyment of a child, no matter what your age. Mr. Batch, too, and Jimmy, and the rest of the dear funny folk who amuse millions of old and young every Sunday. No one would willingly deprive himself of the good fun to be found in these best of comics, and even if he could do without it himself, the kiddies will never let him off until he brings that funny paper to them every week.

A Feature Section of Eight Pages

This section will eclipse anything ever before printed in Richmond. It will be full of the most thrilling news-stories, latest discoveries in science, told in a masterly way. Tales of explorers and adventures in all parts of the world, with full accounts of the lives of prominent people now before the public. This section will be most fascinating, and will be sure to interest you. Artistic and striking pictures and illustrations will be found in this section.

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PHELPS DOWN FOR THREE LECTURES

Yale Professor of Literature to Make Addresses at Richmond College.

Prof. William Lyon Phelps, of Yale University, will deliver three lectures at Richmond College next week under the James Thomas Lecture Endowment. The series will be the thirty-third course of lectures under this foundation.

The first lecture will be given on the evening of February 26, on the subject, "Two Representatives of Colonial Character—Jonathan Edwards and Benjamin Franklin." On the following evening Prof. Phelps will lecture on "Nathaniel Hawthorne and Puritanism." The last lecture of the series will be given Friday evening, February 28, on the subject, "The Modern American—Mark Twain."

Prof. Phelps is known throughout the country as a teacher and as a writer of books. He is a graduate of both Harvard and Yale Universities, and has been a professor of literature at Yale since 1892. He is well-known also as a contributor to literary periodicals.

The lectures will be given in the public hall at Richmond College, on the evenings named, at 8:15 o'clock. In order to secure seats to those who are particularly interested, the college authority will, upon request, supply free of charge tickets which will give admittance to the hall between 7:45 and 8:10 o'clock in the evening. After 8:10 o'clock the doors will be thrown open for the admittance of persons not provided with tickets.

Crabtree—Carter.
 [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
 Lynette Carter, a young girl, received in the city last night by the family of the bride, brings the first intelligence of the marriage. The bride, Miss Nora Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Carter, of this city, to Harry Crabtree, a clerk at a pharmacy on Park Avenue. The marriage took place at the home of Mrs. Josephine Matthews, an aunt of the bride, with whom Miss Carter has been residing for several months. Mr. Crabtree returned to the city soon after the marriage, and he expects Mrs. Crabtree to join him in a short time. Mr. Crabtree was formerly employed in Bristol, but he has been here for a year.

In Serious Condition.
 [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
 Marion, Va., February 20.—Dr. P. W. Atkins, for many years one of the leading physicians of this county, has been for several days in a very precarious condition. He undertook to resume his practice before he had fully recovered from a severe attack of grip, and in returning home last Monday week fell from his horse, and since then has been delirious for the greater portion of the time.

REGULAR SERVICE OVER BERING SEA

Arrangements Made to Complete Circuit of Globe by Wireless.

Washington, February 20.—Arrangements are being made for the establishment of regular wireless service across Bering Strait between the American and Russian governments, which will insure telegraphic communication between America and Asia at all times, even in the event of the interruption of the cable service.

The projected service taken in connection with the existing transatlantic radio service, completes the circuit of the globe by this means of communication. No new construction is required for the institution of this service. The Russian government already has a wireless tower at Andir in Kamchatka, and the American government a similar station at Cape Nome, Alaska. There has been some limited exchange of signals across Bering Sea, between these towers, but owing to the operators' limitations they have been unable to communicate intelligibly, a difficulty which, of course, can easily be overcome by the employment of operators who can speak both Russian

PRISONERS PLOT TO KILL SHERIFF

Life of Accomac County Official Probably Saved by Warning of "Trusty."

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
 Cape Charles, Va., February 20.—The life of Sheriff Benjamin Nelson of Accomac County, who also acts as jailer at the county jail, was probably saved yesterday when a plot to kill him was revealed by Sidney Ames, a prisoner occupying a cell next to the one in which the instigators of the crime were placed.

When the sheriff started to bring a meal to the prisoners yesterday he was confronted by Ames, who was a trusty, and had been allowed the freedom of the corridor, and was informed of the murderous intention of the other prisoners. According to his story, Major Daily, Linwood Smith and five other inmates of the jail were to pounce upon the sheriff as he entered their cell, take a revolver, and after dealing him a deadly blow make their escape. Smith and Daily, the chief conspirators of the murderous attack, broke out of Eastville jail several weeks ago, and were caught after a chase and brought to Accomac jail to await trial. Both are charged with murder. After their plot became known they were placed in the dungeon cell. All are colored.

Candidate for House.
 [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
 Windsor, Va., February 20.—George D. Chapman, a prominent farmer, has announced himself as a candidate to succeed J. R. Jordan in the House of Delegates.

Will Repair Paved Streets.
 [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
 Bristol, Va., February 20.—This city has inaugurated a movement to repair the paved streets of the city. A force of men began the work this week. Wherever there are defects in the paving the brick is being torn out and replaced, and all sinks and uneven places are being brought up to grade.

TO BE TRIED IN APRIL.
 [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
 Norfolk, Va., February 20.—The United States grand jury continued its investigation into alleged naval commissary grafting as between commissaries and Atlantic Coast navy provision contractors. Testimony is being brought out, according to report, showing that when potatoes were being sold high there would be a heavy purchase, whereas, when potatoes were cheap the purchases would be light; likewise with meats. No testimony has been given up to this time of the alleged actual giving of money and padding of provision delivery receipts. The grand jury will not conclude for some days, and it may go over until next week.

Peter Shelley Arraigned for Murder of Leake Short.
 [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
 Bristol, Va., February 20.—Peter Shelley, aged fifty-five, captured recently in Oregon and brought back to Washington County to answer to the charge of murdering Leake Short, this week was arraigned in the Circuit Court at Abingdon, and will be tried at the April term of court. He stabbed Short to death during the holidays as the result of trouble between the two men on a public highway near Barren.

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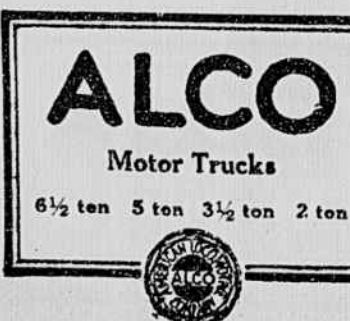
They have gone into the study to see what other firms in their line of business have accomplished in time saved, money saved, and increased delivery facilities.

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